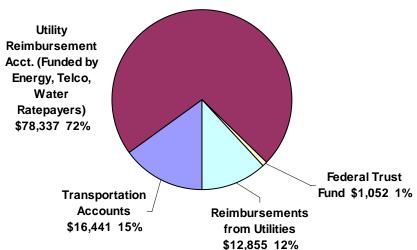
PUC Budget Summary, FY 2005-06

PUC's Annual Budget is \$1.2 billion, With \$109 million Supporting Operations

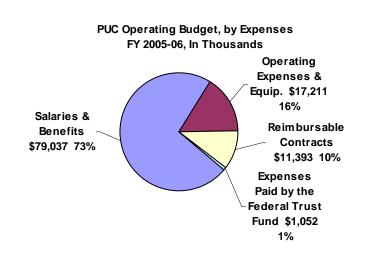
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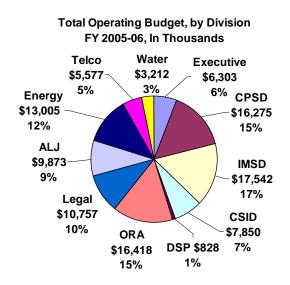
Funding for PUC Operations Comes From User Fees





The Operating Budget Goes Mostly to Salaries and Benefits





PUC's Operating Budget for FY 2005/06 Positions

Increased by \$3.8 million and 22.5

	FY	FY	Change	
	2004-05	2005-06		
PUC Operating Budget	\$104,872,000	\$108,685,000	\$3,813,000	
Authorized Positions	846.5	869.0	22.5*	
		Incremental Posi	tions by Program	
			P	ositions
		Railroad Safety Program		10.0
		Household Good	Household Goods Carrier Enforcement 5.5	
		Master-meter Cu	Master-meter Customer Billings-SB 1163 1.0	
		Utility Informal	Utility Informal Complaint Resolution (New) 5.0	
		Water Utility Ra	te Cases	1.0
		Total		22.5

^{*}Change reflects only incremental additions and does not include the continuation of 8 expiring limited term Consumer Affairs Representative positions authorized as permanent positions.

The Annual Budget Process Starts Now and Finishes Next June (We Hope)

- **July to August** PUC develops Budget Change Proposals (BCPs)
- September (2nd Week) PUC submits BCPs to Dept of Finance
- January 10 Governor's proposed Budget and Budget Bill submitted to the Legislature
- February to Late May Legislative Budget Subcommittees hold budget hearings
- May 14 Dept of Finance submits May Revision to the Legislature
- June 15 Constitutional deadline for Legislature to pass Budget Bill
- June, mid to late Governor decides Budget Bill vetoes and signs the Budget Act & Trailer Bills
- July 1 State's fiscal year starts